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<b>RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION</b>  Address to: Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	Attorney Docket No.	AREN-011DIV (11.US9.DIV)
	Confirmation No.	6379
	First Named Inventor	Liaw, Chen W.
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	Group Art Unit	1646
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<i>"Human Orphan G Protein-Coupled Receptors"</i>		

Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Final Office Action dated September 4, 2007, for which a three-month period for response was given making this response due by December 4, 2007. In view of the petition for a three month extension of time, this communication is timely filed on March 4, 2008.

In view of the remarks set forth below, reconsideration and allowance are respectfully requested.